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For: METHOD FOR OPTIMIZING REMOTE PROCEDURE CALL (RPC)  
AND PROGRAM EXECUTION METHOD BY USE OF THE  
OPTIMIZED RPC

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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December 4, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 4, 2003, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification**

**Amendments to the Claims**

**Remarks** are included following the amendments.